

**YMCA of Greater High Point - Camp Cheerio  
Job Description**

Job Title: Aquatics Director  
Incumbent:  
Reports to: Program Director

Branch: Cheerio  
Position Code: Non Exempt  
Date: January 2006

**General Function**

The Aquatics Director implements the operation of the entire Aquatics Program including the pool and the lake. The Aquatics Director supervises the Assistant Aquatics Director, Lifeguards, and activity instructors assigned to aquatics activities. The Aquatics Director will also visually inspect the lake and pool daily for general safety and to verify that all safety equipment is present and in good working order at all times.

**Qualifications**

Minimum age 21, previous experience in lifeguarding as well as a current WSI or Lifeguard, CPR and First Aid Certifications.

**Essential Functions**

- Auditory ability to respond to critical incidents.
- Ability to perform routine first aid tasks.
- Abilities to observe staff effectiveness, enforce appropriate safety regulations and emergency procedures and apply appropriate behavior management techniques.
- Physical ability to operate emergency exits and perform emergency procedures.
- Ability to participate in activities that will help all participants experience success.

**Principal Activities**

- Developing and operating a well-planned program of instruction in swimming and small crafts.
- Test and classify swimming ability of staff and campers.
- Utilize staff abilities to the best advantage in carrying out the waterfront program in swimming, life saving, canoeing, kayaking, etc.
- Supervise camp staff assigned to the pool and/or lake.
- Carry out instruction and lifeguard duties during swim classes.
- Maintenance the pool including vacuuming, cleaning tile, backwashing, etc.

**Job Requirements**

- Good moral character and sound Christian values
- Patient
- Ability to communicate
- Emotional maturity
- Flexibility/ability to adjust to different situations
- Sensitive to physical, mental, and social needs of campers and staff.
- Capable of physical responsibilities of the pool and the lake.
- Serve as an active member of the Cheerio support staff, helping and participating throughout camp as needed

We understand and mutually accept that the above job description and any supplement request is our agreement as to the job to be performed.

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